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### **LEGAL NOTICE OF OPPORTUNITY TO OBJECT**

Moon Lake Salvage Project, USDA Forest Service, Ashley National Forest, Roosevelt-Duchesne Ranger District, Duchesne County, Utah

Responsible Official: Susan Eickhoff, Forest Supervisor

We have completed a draft decision notice for a post-fire timber salvage and planting project in a small area of the 2020 East Fork Fire. The project area is a 762-acre stand of burned ponderosa pine located about 1 mile south of Moon Lake. We plan to salvage cut approximately 250 acres of the project area and plant the entire project area with ponderosa pine seedlings. Details on the project and associated analysis can be found online at: <https://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=59038>.

The action includes a project-specific forest plan amendment to allow for openings over 40 acres. None of the substantive requirements of the 2012 planning rule (36 CFR 219.8 to 219.11) are directly related to this amendment as it would have no substantial adverse effects.

This project is subject to the objection process pursuant to 36 CFR 218 Subparts A and B.

Objections will be accepted only from those who have previously submitted specific written comments regarding the proposed project during a designated opportunity for public comment in accordance with §218.5(a). Issues raised in objections must be based on previously submitted, timely, specific written comments regarding the proposed project unless based on new information arising after designated opportunities.

Individual members of organizations must have submitted their own comments to meet the requirements of eligibility as an individual; objections received on behalf of an organization are considered those of the organization only (§218.5). Names and addresses of objectors will become part of the public record.

Incorporation of documents by reference in the objection is permitted only as provided for at §218.8(b). See §218.8(d) for minimum content requirements of an objection.

Written objections, including any attachments, must be filed with the reviewing officer (Mary Farnsworth, Intermountain Regional Forester) within 45 days (§218.26) of this legal notice, the publication date of which is the exclusive means for calculating the time to file an objection. Electronic objections in common formats (.pdf, .doc, .rtf, or .txt) may be emailed to [objections-intermtn-regional-office@usda.gov](mailto:objections-intermtn-regional-office@usda.gov) with Moon Lake Salvage in the subject line. Objections may also be faxed to 801-625-5277 to the attention of Objection: Moon Lake Salvage, sent by mail to the following address, or hand-delivered during normal business hours of 0800 to 1630, Monday through Friday, excluding holidays: Objection Reviewing Officer, Intermountain Region USFS, 324 25th Street, Ogden, UT 84401. It is the responsibility of objectors to ensure their objection is received in a timely manner (§218.9).

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